

INTIMATIONS.

THE Steamship
"KWANGTUNG,"
M. Young, will be despatched for the above
on FRIDAY, the 8th instant, at NOON.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
Hongkong, 5th June, 1883. [1097

FOR MANILA (DIRECT).
THE Company's Steamship
"JORGE JUAN,"
Main Theboard, will be despatched for the
Port on MONDAY, the 11th instant, at
P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,

ongkong, 6th June, 1883. General Managers. (1100)
**NOUVELLE COMPAGNIE MARSEIL-
 LISE DE NAVIGATION A VAPEUR.**
FOR SHANGHAI.
 THE Steamship
"STAMBOUL"

re, Commander, due here on the 6th instant,
 have quick despatch for the above Port.
 or Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
 Agents.
 Hongkong, 6th June, 1883. [1098]

NOTICE TO MARINERS,
 No. 167.

CHINA SEA.
ANGHAI AND NINGPO DISTRICTS.
STEEP ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Light on
Steep Island was exhibited for the first
time at sunset on the 27th instant.
It illuminates a radius of 10 miles.

Between the bearings N. 20° 54' E. and N. 17° E. the light is obscured by Tripod Island, and, to the eastward and south-eastward of Tripod Island, the Fisherman's Group is not visible between N. 83° 39' W. and N. 57° 41' W. To the westward and north-westward of Hall Island and Howolt Islands it is also obscured

The tower is round, of iron, 25 feet high, with a total height from its base to the lantern vane between S. 82° 13' E. and S. 63° 35' E., with the exception of a ray between the bearings 55° 53' E. and S. 64° 39' E. The bearings are magnetic and from seaward. The Light is elevated 243 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather it should be visible at a distance of 22 nautical miles.

47 feet.
The tower is painted black, and the dwellings
and boundary wall white.
Approximate position :-
Latitude..... 30° 12' 27" N.
Longitude..... 122° 36' 13" E.

FOG GUN SIGNAL.
The keepers at this Lighthouse on hearing a

ll, fog-horn, steam-whistle, or any other
and, during foggy or thick weather, indicat-
ing the proximity of a vessel, will fire three
times with an interval of three minutes between
the first and second and the second and third.
And, if the vessel's fog signal is still heard, will
repeat the firing after an interval of ten minutes.
By Order of the Inspector General of Customs,
A. M. BISHOP,
Coast Inspector

Superior Maritime Customs,
Coast Inspector's Office,
Shanghai, 23th May, 1883. 11099

NOTICE.

It is proposed to hold a "SKY" or "OFF"
RACE MEETING, coupled with
ATHLETIC SPORTS, at the RACE COURSE

the Autumn. GENTLEMEN who would
interest themselves in getting up the same, are
requested to MEET at the HONGKONG CLUB
O-MORROW, at 6.30 P.M.
H. J. H. TRIPP,
Clerk of the Course.
Hongkong, 5th June. 1883. [1099]

WANTED.

B. Y. A. YOUNG MAN, 25 years of age, having already had a general business experience of three years, A SITUATION AS SHOP-KEEPING CLERK or GENERAL ASSISTANT in a Merchant's Office. Possesses a fair knowledge of the French language, and can give first class references.
Address _____ B. A., _____

Care of "Daily Press" Office.
 Hongkong, 17th May, 1893.

WANTED.—EMPLOYMENT as SHIP-
 PING CLERK or in any similar
 capacity, by an energetic Young Man. Good
 testimonials. Address
 T. H.,
 Care of "Daily Press" Office.
 17th May, 1893.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1883.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF
CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A FIRST INTERIM BONUS of Twenty per Cent upon Contributions for the year 1882, has THIS DAY been declared.

Dividends may be had on application at the

Office of the Society on and after the 21st inst.
By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, 7th May, 1883. (1009)

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,
LIMITED.
NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS

A BONUS of 10 % upon Contributions for the year 1882, has this day been declared and will be payable at the above Office on and after the 28th instant.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.
Hongkong, 15th May, 1883. [972]

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

SHAREHOLDERS are notified that on presentation of their Share Certificates at the Head Office of this Company New Scrip will be issued in exchange, in accordance with recent Resolution subdividing each old

share into four new ones.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
 General Managers.
 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1883. [880]

JOHN P. COWLES, JR.,
TEA-PACKER AND SHIPPER,
FOOCHOW.

FIRMS WITHDRAWING AFTER THE SEASON
IS SPENT REPRESENTED. [1035]
IMPORTANT NOTICE.
THE PROPRIETORS OF THE STEAM
RICE MILLS, viz
OF THE COMPAGNIE FRANÇAISE DE
SAIGON, AND OF THE

RIEZIERE A VAPEUR DE CHOLEN
(A SPOONER, ED. RENARD & Co.)
BEG leave to bring to the Notice of Im-
porters of Saigon Rice, that they guar-
antee the quantity of Paddy stipulated for in
their Contracts, allowing 4 Cent on Contract
Price for each catty of Paddy, contained in the
average sample as taken on delivery of the Rice,
exceeding the percentage agreed upon. [40]

MAILS EXPECTED

THE ENGLISH MAIL.
P. and O. steamer *Vernon*, with the next
mail, left Singapore at 2 p.m. on the
17th May, and may be expected here on the 6th inst.
THE AMERICAN MAIL.
P. M. steamer *City of Rio de Janeiro*,
the next American mail, left San Francisco
17th May, and may be expected to arrive
here or about the 16th June.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.
 Union steamer *Euphrates* left Singapore
 31st May, and may be expected to re-
 turn on the 7th Instant.
 Glen Line steamer *Glenfakell* left Singa-
 pore, and is due here on the 7th inst.
 Union Line steamer *Yorkshire* left Singa-
 pore, and is due here on the 8th inst.
 French steamer *Stamboul* left Saigon on
 the 4th, and is due here on the 8th inst.
 D. S. C. Co.'s steamer *Tselmichus*, from
 port, left Singapore on the afternoon of the
 4th inst., for here on about the 8th inst.

any of the above for more or to send the
 M. I. S. N. Company's steamer Camoria
 on the 1st, and is due here on the 10th inst.
 The steamer Zuzine left Sydney on the 23rd
 and is due here on or about the 23d Jan.
 The Scottish Oriental Company's steamer
 W left Glasgow on the 17th May, and
 is expected to arrive here about the 4th

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The authorised list of Mails issued in
 connection with the paper is the one published

noon day in our State, which is always
 to a much later hour than that given
 A MEAL WITH GENERAL
 Shaohsai.—Per Benzler, to-day, the
 at 9.30 A.M.
 and General.—Per Fung Ching,
 at 9.30 A.M.
 family.—Per Jorcs Juen, on Monday, the
 at 4.30 P.M.

SAYS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.
 British General Packet "MIZAZA"
 will be despatched on THURSDAY
 June, with Mails to and through the
 Kingdom and Etcetera to San Francisco to the
 Settlements, namely:—Baruch, Capron,
 And, Ercot, Mails, and Gibraltar.
 —This Packet carries no mails for the

Asian Colonies.
usual hours will be observed in closing
file, &c.

MAILS BY THE U. S. PACKET.
United States Mail Packet "GOODYEAR"
sailed on WEDNESDAY at 4 1/2 P.M.
for Japan, San Francisco,
San Francisco, Canada, Honolulu, Peru,
&c. will be closed as follows:—
1. Registry closes.
2. Post Office closes, but Correspondence
be opened on board the Packet with Life
of 10 cents extra Postage until the time
of departure.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.
French Packet Packet "ARAZOU"
sailed on WEDNESDAY at 4 1/2 P.M.

despatched on THURSDAY, the 14th
th Mail to and through the United
m and Europe, via Naples; to Sicily,
Sardinia, Palermo, Bari, Brindisi, Ancona,
Trieste, Venice, Padua, Verona, Milan,
Genoa, Lyons, Paris, London, Amsterdam,
Brussels, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg,
Copenhagen, Stockholm, Christiania, and
other ports.

Several hours will be observed in closing
days, &c.

**NOTICE FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT
MAILS.**

THE FOLLOWING ARE OBSERVED IN CLOSING
MAILS, by the British Contract Packet—
Day of Despatch.

—Money Order & Co. close.

—Registry of Letters open. Post-
office hours.

For all communications sent by registered mail, the following conditions apply:

- Late Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until
- when the Post Office closes entirely.
- Late Letters may be posted on bank packet with late fee of 10 cents, until the day of departure.

THE THROUGH MAIL.
Day before Departure. Post Office closes at 11 o'clock.
Mail of the night box, which is always except of office hours.

Day of Departure.
Post Office opens.
Registered mail boxes open. Posting of registered mail and letters commences.

Mail closes, except for Loto Letters.
Loto Letters may be posted with Loto Fees until
11:00 a.m., when the Post Office closes entirely.
Loto Letters may be posted on board
trains with Loto Fees of 10 Cents until
the time of departure.

MONEY LETTERS.
Attention is called to the following
from the Hongkong Postal Guide,
1900:
"Post Office declines all responsibility
for Letters containing Bank Notes,
as their distribution has been prohibited
by the Government. Inquiries into alleged losses
of Letters."

responsibility can be accepted by the Post or erroneous reply to verbal inquiries, are addressed to embassies or floors. The cost of mail stamps should be especially noted as being able to correct information on the Postal Guide alone is the standard on which such information may be based.

Letters are sometimes received at the office not sealed, that is to say, the box is sealed with wax, but there is no indication of the sender's name.

The attention of Exchangers is called to the necessity of carefully sealing such boxes with a carefully sealed seal, and of sending a receipt with them. The omission of a receipt or precaution leaves a doubt as to whether the contents have been received.

contents of the box ever reached the
does; the omission of the former, as to
the others, might not have been ab-
for the sake of the Postage Stamp.

RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS.

or the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, or the
will be RESPONSIBLE for any
contracted by the Officers on the Crews
following Vessels during their stay in
Harbour:

CARRIE, A. M. bk., Staples. — BERNARD Co.
BRIE, B. bk., Davis. — Russell & Co.
C. Dutch ship, Taylor. — Barnes & Co.
CONCORD, Brit. bk., Tynes. — Adamson, Ball

FIAL, Am. ship, Tibbets.
 Q. QUEEN, Brit. bark, Lelouchian.—Ed.
 Wilhams & Co.
 Brit. str., J. Lee.—Adamson, Bell &
 Am. bark, Waterhouse.—Russell & Co.
 English brig, M. N. Mortenson.—Ed.
 Wilhams & Co.
 W. Brit. str., Geake.—Jardine, Matheson
 & Co.
 ZEMERKA, Ger. bk., Schönmann.
 Zebra & Co.
 ship, W. Schneider.—Arnhold, Kar-
 st & Co.
 Brit. str., Gardaez.—D. Sassoon, Sons
 & Co.
 ZWINGER, Am. bark, Houghton.—Ed.
 Wilhams & Co.

Brit. str., D. Scott.—Jardine, Mathe-
 & Co.
 N. Fr. str., Gorceau.—Shing Loong,
 Gen. bk., Lamahen, —Stensen & Co.
 Brit. str., McGeehan.—Russell & Co.
 Oblique str., E. Baron.—J. M. S. N. Co.
 Wom Kiao, Betch str.—Straiten—
 Maun, Jap. str., Hutches.—M. B. M.
 Co.
 Ger. Brig, Dunge.—Malchers & Co.

